APPEAL NO. 040698 FILED MAY 19, 2004

This appeal arises pursuant to the Texas Workers' Compensation Act, TEX. LAB. CODE ANN. § 401.001 *et seq.* (1989 Act). A contested case hearing was held on March 2, 2004. The hearing officer determined that the right knee problems of instability and chronic pain are results naturally flowing from the _______, compensable injury of respondent (claimant). Appellant (carrier) appealed this determination on sufficiency grounds and also complains that the hearing officer did not explain his reasoning. The file does not contain a response from claimant.

DECISION

We affirm.

We have reviewed the complained-of determination and conclude that the issue involved a fact question for the hearing officer. The hearing officer reviewed the record and decided what facts were established. We conclude that the hearing officer's determination is supported by the record and is not so against the great weight and preponderance of the evidence as to be clearly wrong or manifestly unjust. Cain v. Bain, 709 S.W.2d 175, 176 (Tex. 1986). We further conclude that the hearing officer's decision gives a sufficient explanation for the parties to understand the holding.

We affirm the hearing officer's decision and order.

According to information provided by carrier, the true corporate name of the insurance carrier is **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY INSURANCE COMPANY** and the name and address of its registered agent for service of process is

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY 800 BRAZOS, SUITE 750, COMMODORE 1 AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701.

| | Judy L. S. Barnes Appeals Judge |
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| ONCUR: | |
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| Chris Cowan Appeals Judge | |
| FF | |
| Veronica L. Ruberto | |
| Appeals Judge | |